and before representing or servicing any laboratory or tissue bank not situated within this State each such person, partnership, association or corporation shall make appropriate annual application to the State Board of Health and Mental Hygiene on such terms and conditions as shall be promulgated by said Board, the application to show by satisfactory evidence that any such laboratory or tissue bank not located within this State meets or exceeds the minimum standards promulgated by said Board pursuant to this section for similar laboratories or tissue banks located and operated within the State of Maryland. The term tissue bank as used in this section shall include blood bank and the term tissue shall include blood.

(b) Standards and requirements for laboratory directors. Such standards and requirements shall not require that the director of any such laboratory be a physician licensed under this Article. Any person who was for a period of seven consecutive years prior to June 1, 1966 the director of a laboratory which had met the standards and requirements in effect for laboratories prior to June 1, 1966 shall be considered to meet all academic and experience requirements for a laboratory director which are established on and after June 1, 1966; and any laboratory which for a similar period of seven years had met the standards and qualifications in effect prior to June 1, 1966, shall be issued a permit under this section, and thereafter shall comply with the rules and regulations established under this section. The director of a tissue bank (or blood bank) must be a physician licensed to practice medicine in Maryland.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1969.

Approved May 2, 1969.

## CHAPTER 492 (Senate Bill 777)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 40 (d) of Article 10 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume), title "Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact," subtitle "State's Attorneys," to increase the salary of the State's Attorney and Deputy State's Attorney in Baltimore County, increase the number of Assistant State's Attorneys and provide compensation therefor, define the duties of the full-time Assistant State's Attorneys and to provide generally for clerical and administrative personnel.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 40 (d) of Article 10 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1968 Replacement Volume), title "Attorneys at Law and Attorneys in Fact," subtitle "State's Attorneys," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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(d) In Baltimore County, (1) the State's Attorney's salary is not less than eighteen thousand dollars (\$18,000) annually [, to be paid